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FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY BONN
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SENV, GW, SW

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IN SMOKING TOBACCO

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FOLLOWING TEL SENT ACTION BONN, MOSCOW FROM STATE MAY 21:

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